

971.034  
GRE

CESC



This Volume



3 2022 17602175 2

Special Collections  
Hamilton Public Library



Digitized by the Internet Archive  
in 2023 with funding from  
Hamilton Public Library





# ACCOUNTS

RELATING TO

AMERICAN SEAMEN, PRISONERS OF WAR;

AND TO

SHIPS OF WAR, ARMED VESSELS, AND MERCHANT VESSELS,

CAPTURED FROM AND BY

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Since the Commencement of the War.

---

*Ordered to be printed 1st December 1814.*

---

## L I S T.

- No. 1. An Account of the Number of American Seamen now Prisoners of War within the British Dominions, according to the last Returns.
- No. 2. An Account of all Ships of War and Armed Vessels belonging to the United States of America, taken or destroyed by His Majesty's Ships since the Commencement of the War; together with a Statement of the Force of each Ship or Vessel, in Guns, Men, and Boys.
- No. 3. A like Account of His Majesty's Ships of War and Armed Vessels taken or destroyed by the Americans.
- No. 4. An Account of all Merchant Vessels taken from the United States of America, or destroyed, and reported to the Admiralty, since the Commencement of the War; specifying the Class or Tonnage of each Vessel, as far as the same can be ascertained.
- No. 5. A Return of the Number of American Seamen, Prisoners of War, captured since the Commencement of the War.



# ACCOUNTS, &c.

## No. 1.

Admiralty Office, 1st December 1814.

AN ACCOUNT of the Number of American Seamen now Prisoners of War within the British Dominions, according to the last Returns.

Total Number - - 6,153.

## No. 2.

Admiralty Office, 1st December 1814.

AN ACCOUNT of all Ships of War and Armed Vessels belonging to the United States of America, taken or destroyed by His Majesty's Ships since the Commencement of the War; together with a Statement of the Force of each Ship or Vessel, in Guns, Men, and Boys, as far as can be ascertained at the present Date.

National Ships and Vessels.							Aggregate borne in each Description of Ship or Vessel.	
							of Guns.	of Men and Boys.
1	Ship of	56	Guns	-	-	-	56	
1	-	49	-	-	-	-	49	440
1	-	46	-	-	-	-	46	300
1	-	26	-	-	-	-	26	
1	-	22	-	-	-	-	22	179
4	-	20	-	-	-	-	80	420
2	-	18	-	-	-	-	36	163
1	-	16	-	-	-	-	16	106
2	-	14	-	-	-	-	28	205
2	-	12	-	-	-	-	24	118
1	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	25
17	-	2	-	-	-	-	34	
34 Ships and Vessels							400	1,956
Total -								

No. 2.—*continued.*

Privateers and other Ships and Vessels armed and commissioned for War.										Aggregate borne in each Description of Ships or Vessels.	
										of Guns.	of Men and Boys.
2	Ships of 22	Guns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	117
7	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	782
2	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	
11	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	198	830
5	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	
1	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	100
11	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	176	716
8	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	128	
1	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	110
10	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	768
4	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	
2	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	185
11	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	132	753
2	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	
1	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	98
8	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	419
2	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	
2	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	157
5	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	187
1	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
3	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	154
25	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150	857
14	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	722
24	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96	643
6	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	171
24	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	527
6	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
16	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	435
9	Force not stated.										
223	Private Ships and Vessels of War									1,845	8,511
34	National Ships									400	1,956
257	Ships of War of all Descriptions. Gen' Total									2,245	10,467



## No. 3.

Admiralty Office, 1st December 1814.

AN ACCOUNT of His Majesty's Ships of War and Armed Vessels taken or destroyed by the Americans, since the Commencement of the War; together with a Statement of the Force of each Ship or Vessel, in Guns, Men, and Boys, as far as the same can be ascertained at the present Date.

					Aggregate borne in each Description of Ship or Vessel.	
					Guns.	Men and Boys.
3	Ships of	38	Guns	-	-	-
6	-	16	-	-	114	980
2	-	12	-	-	96	698
2	-	10	-	-	24	177
3	-	4	-	-	20	100
					12	60
16 Ships and Vessels					266	2,015
Total						

## No. 4.

Admiralty Office, 1st December 1814.

AN ACCOUNT of all Merchant Vessels taken from the United States of America, or destroyed, and reported to the Admiralty, since the Commencement of the War; specifying the Class or Tonnage of each Vessel, as far as same can be ascertained.

		No.	Tons.
Ships and Vessels the Tonnage of which hath been reported		546	Their Tonnage 77,540
Ships and Vessels the Tonnage of which hath not been reported, but which are rigged as follows, viz.			
Ships	100		
Brigs	81		
Schooners	177		
Sloops	47		
Other small Craft	42		
		447	
Ships and Vessels of all Descriptions but of which neither the Tonnage nor Class of Rigging hath been reported		255	
Aggregate of Merchant Vessels captured or destroyed as far as hath been reported to the Admiralty		1,248	

The above Number does not include Captures by Privateers, which are not regularly reported to the Admiralty; and no Returns of Captures have been received from the East India or Cape of Good Hope Stations; and the Returns from Foreign Stations have only been received in Part.



## No. 5.

Admiralty Office, 1st December 1814.

A RETURN of the Number of American Seamen, Prisoners of War, captured since the Commencement of the War, as far as the same can be ascertained at the present Date.

Total Number captured	-	-	17,885.
-----------------------	---	---	---------

Note.—The above Number does not comprehend Seamen detained at the breaking out of the War, or since then taken on Shore or in Port; nor those who have surrendered themselves from His Majesty's Ships.















